

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

<i>In re</i> Application of	)	
Von Arx et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 2139
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Serial No. 10/800,806	)	Examiner:
	)	Nicole M. Young
Filed: March 15, 2004	)	
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For: System And Method For Securely	)	
Authenticating A Data Exchange Session	)	
With An Implantable Medical Device	)	

**RESPONSE TO FIRST OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Examiner Young:

In response to the first Office Action mailed on December 6, 2007 for the above-referenced patent application, please enter the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 5 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 19 of this paper.